



# Creating Physically Consistent, Integrated Environmental Databases from Distributed Data and Modeling Resources

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# ESG Scenario Production

- ▮ MEL Data Resources used as basis for construction
  - Component data sets for integration
  - ▮ Initialization data sets for environmental models
- ▮ Allow modeling resources to reside at and be maintained by operational providers
  - ▮ ESG is NOT a modeling capability
  - ▮ ESG is NOT designing an architecture around certain models
- ▮ Process must be easily configurable, robust, and repeatable
  - ▮ User must be able to review and understand process

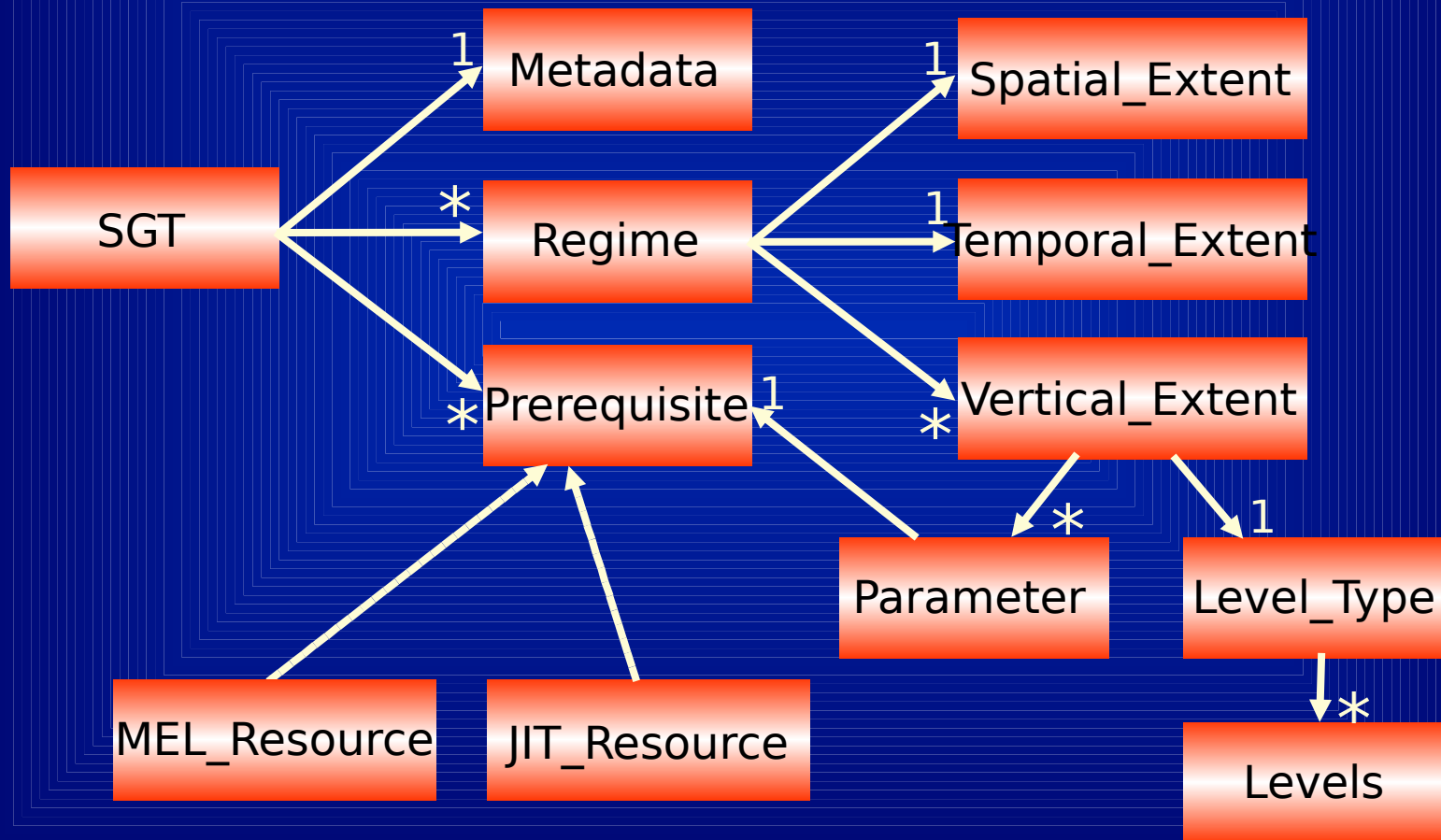


# The Solution

- An XML based Scenario Generation Template (SGT) that captures:
  - Allows language and architecture neutral database specification
  - The Data and Model Resources to be employed
  - The Five Dimensional structure of the final database
- A Java based Five Dimensional Data Object
  - Handles collections of 2D Spatial Grids
  - Format neutral with independent encode/decode methods
  - Value-Adding Utilities
- Logical Java Business Objects
  - ScenarioOrder: Runtime Implementation of SGT
  - MELOrder: Ordering, delivery, and loading of MEL data
  - JITOrder: Tracks the execution of a remote process

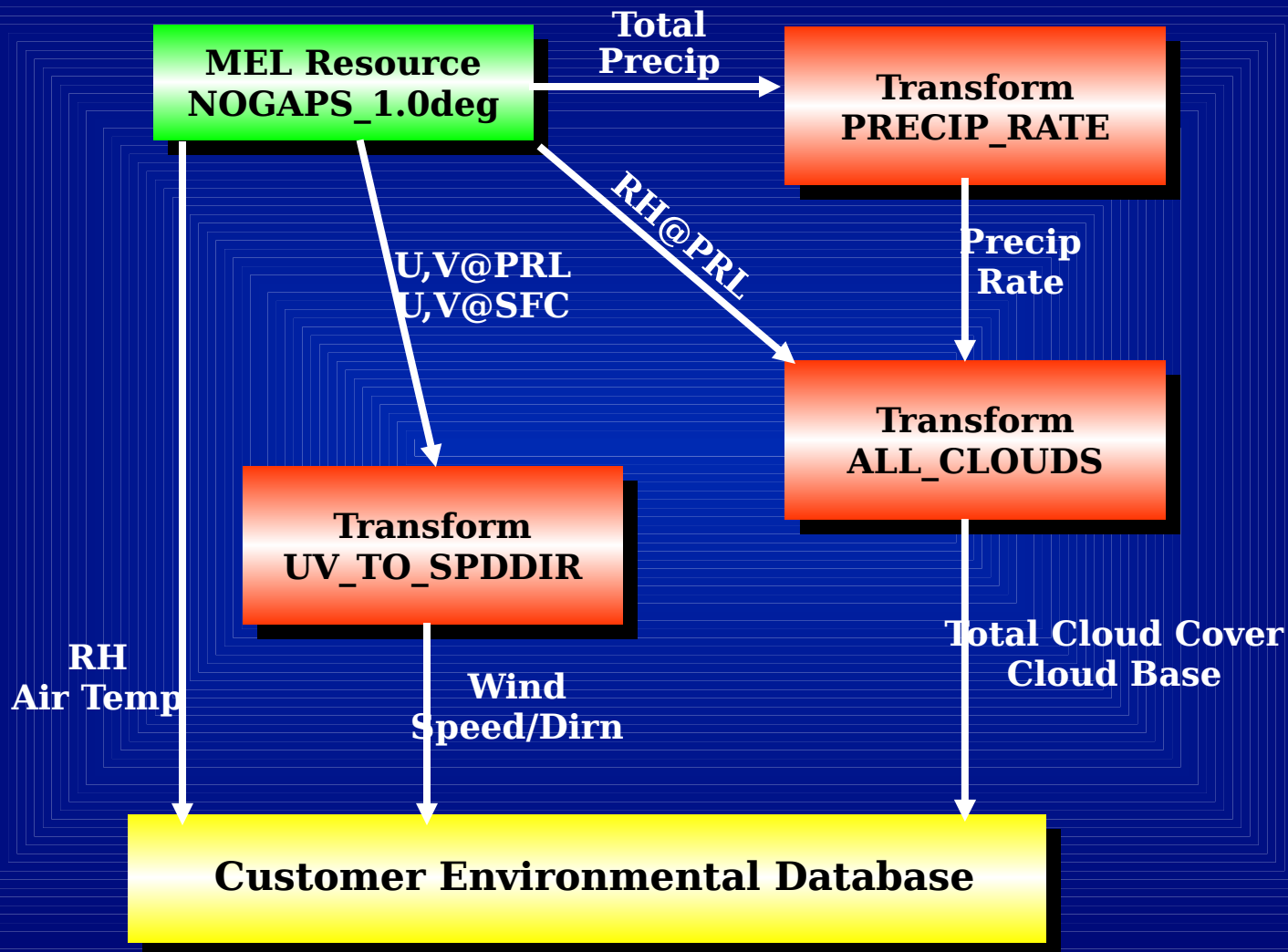


# Scenario Generation Template



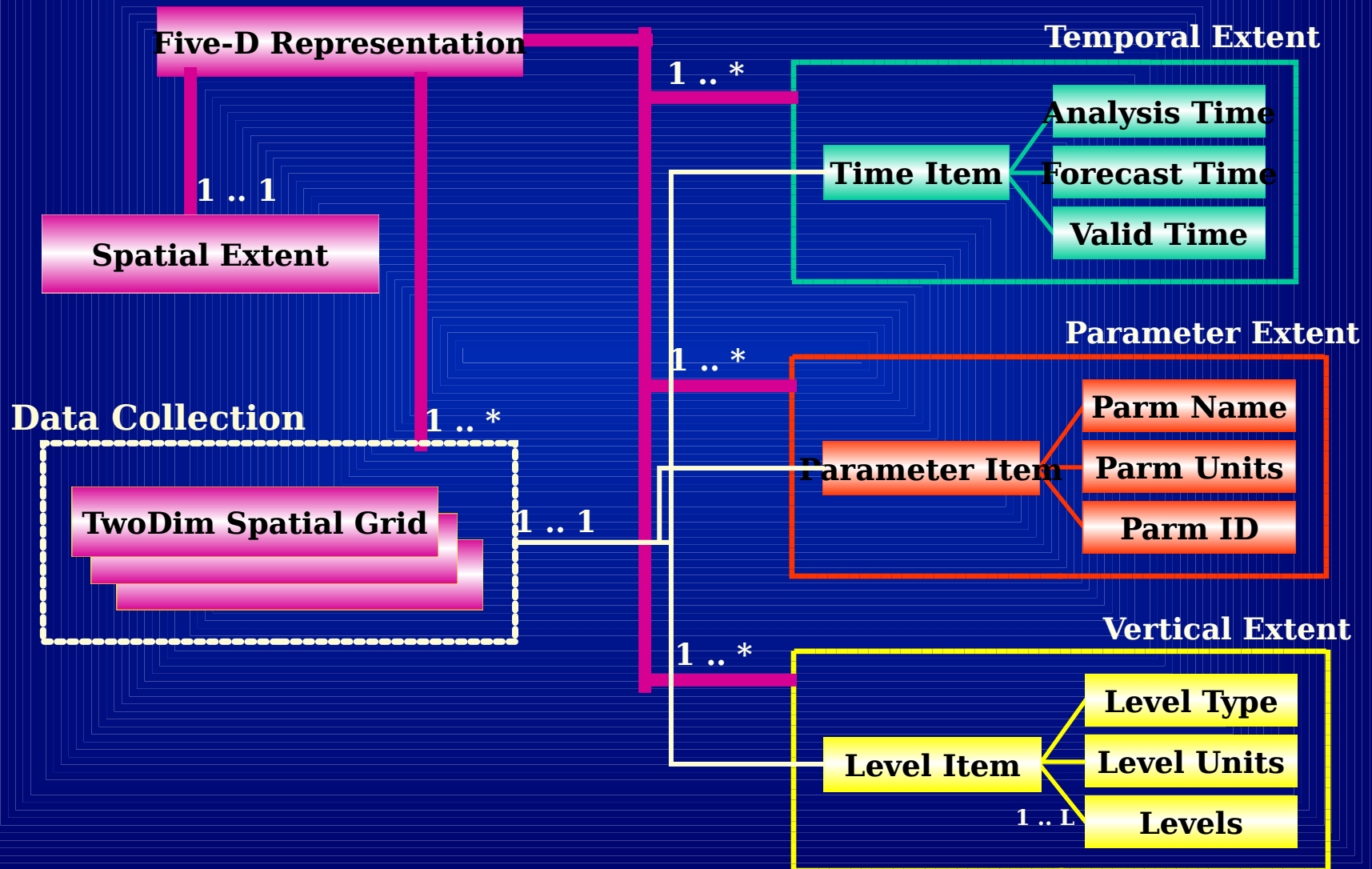


# SGT Data / Model Dependencies



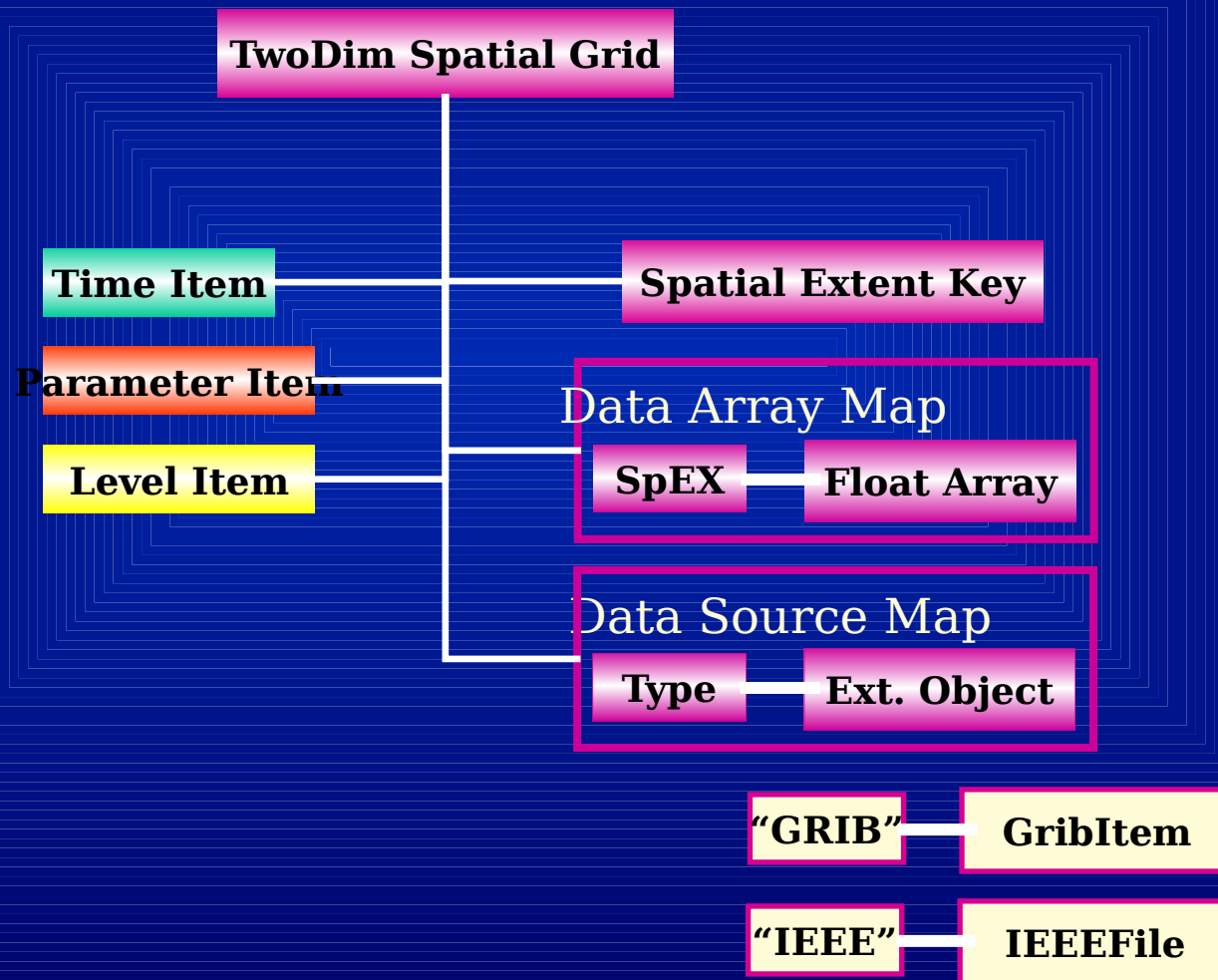


# FiveDimRep Data Model





# The SpatialGrid Object





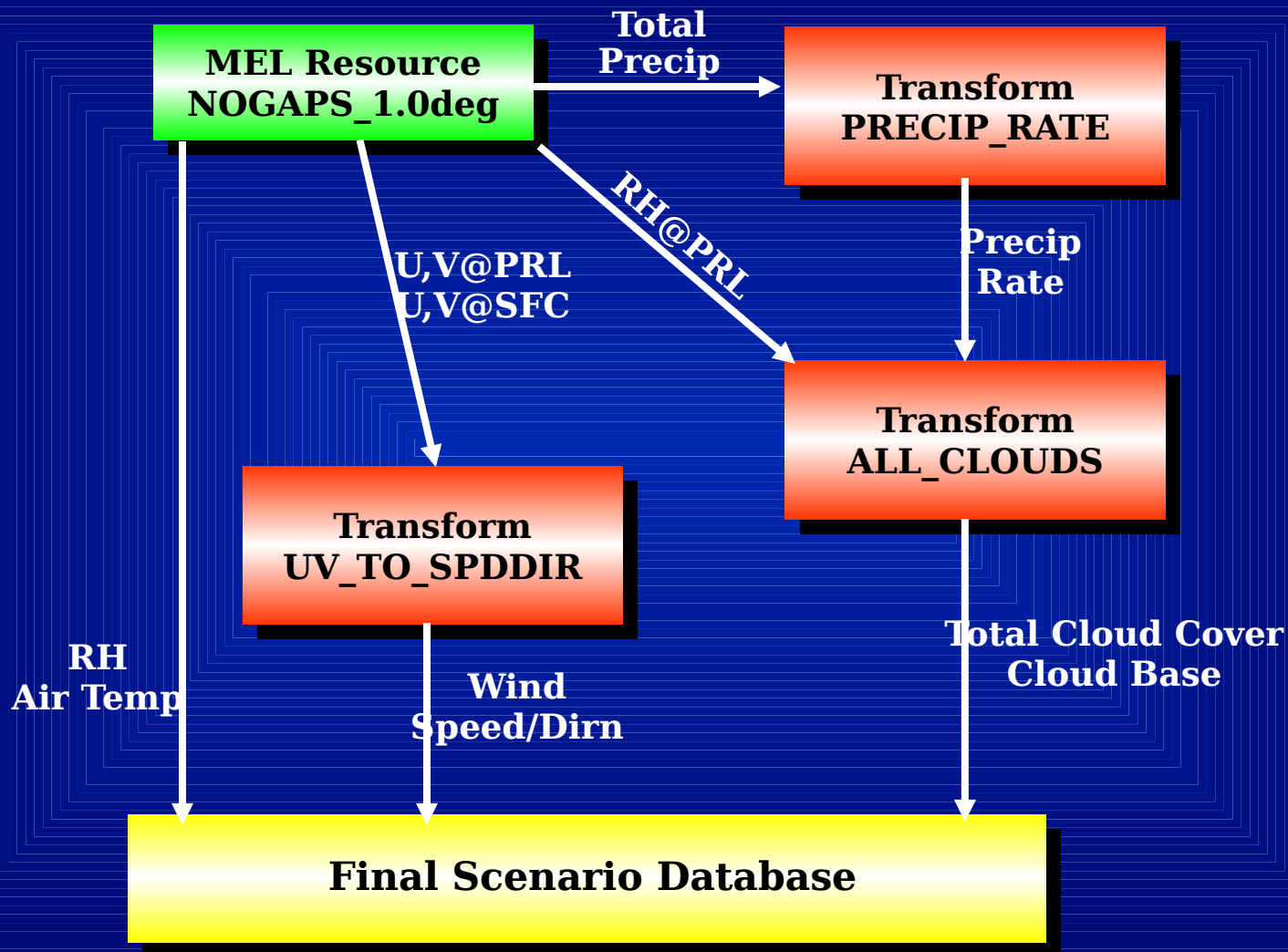
# FiveDimRep Utilities

- ▮ Spatial Transformations
  - Re-gridding to a new projections
  - ▮ multiple interpolation schemes, configured by parameter
  - ▮ Efficient caching mechanism to avoid re-interpolation
- ▮ Temporal Transformations
  - ▮ Forecast overlap deconfliction
  - ▮ Mapping to alternate reference time
- ▮ GRIB Parameter / Level ID Mapping
- ▮ Visualization via VISAD
- ▮ Mapping from Spatial Grids to Time Series



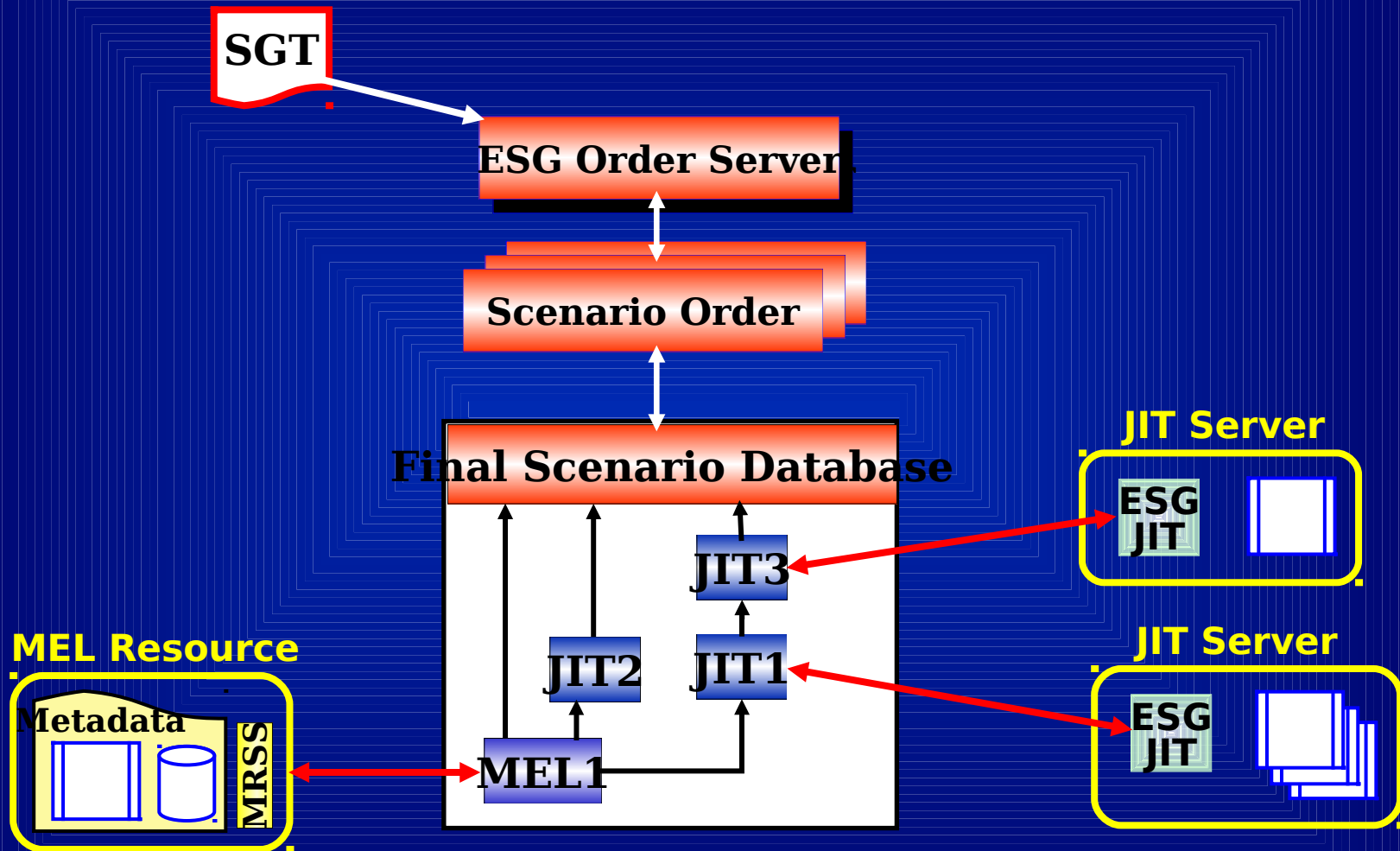


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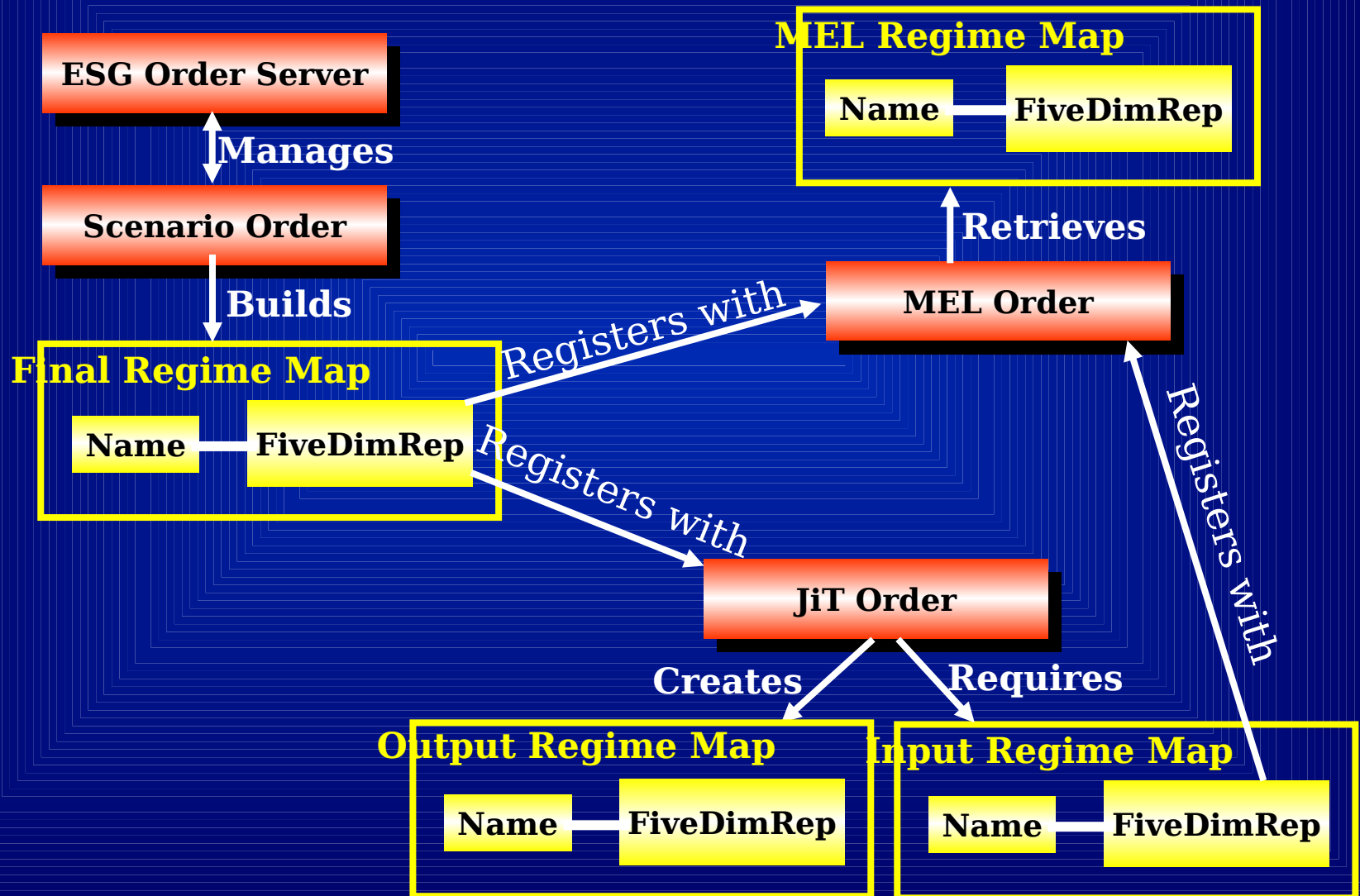




# Conceptual Architecture

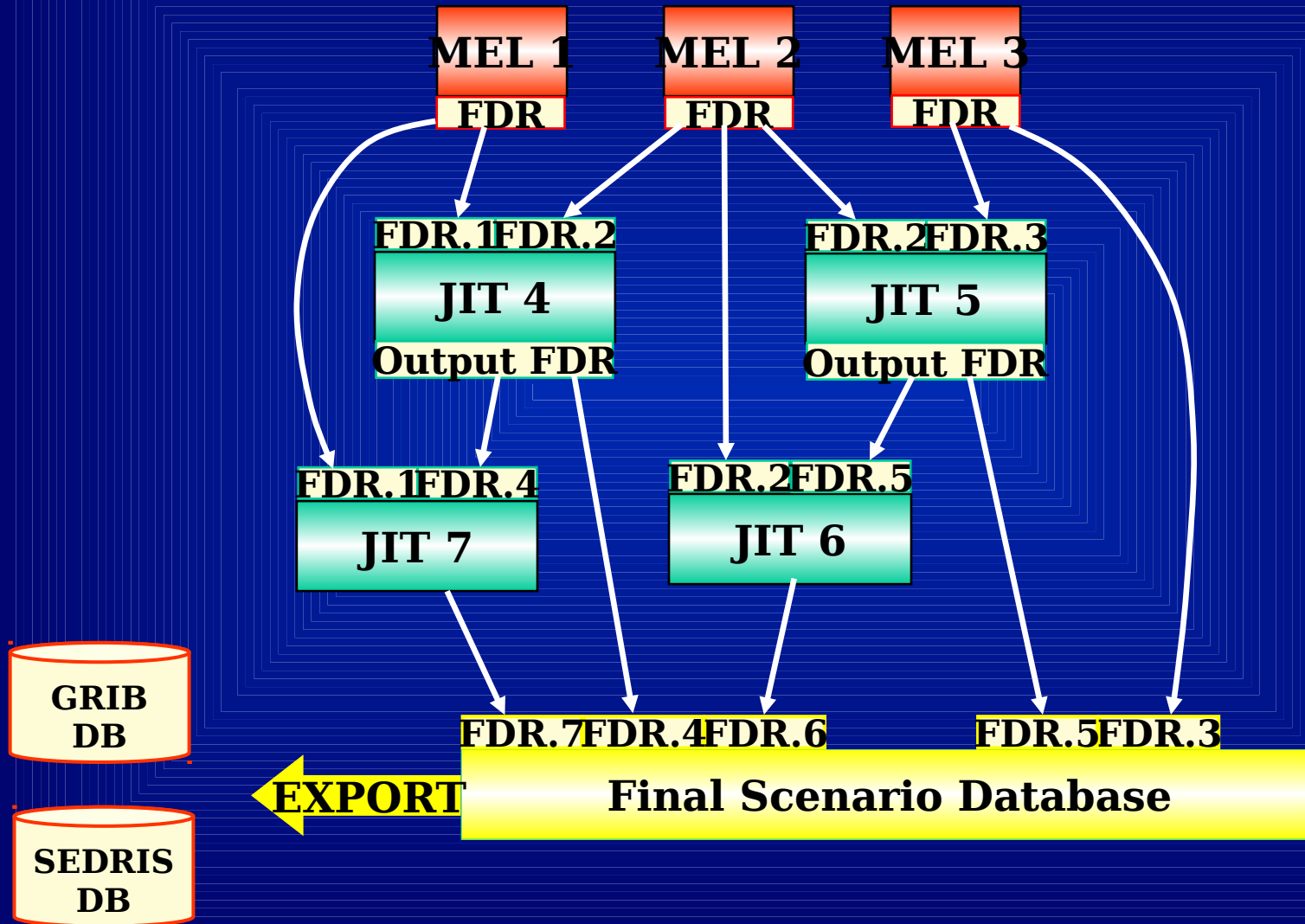


# ESG Business Object Relationships





# Process Control





# ESG Prototype JiT Model - COAMPS

Coupled Ocean/Atmosphere Mesoscale Prediction System

- NRL Developed
- In operational use at FNMOC

NCEP/NCAR Archive

2.5 deg, 6 hr  
16 mb levels

N/N-40

COAMPS Init DB's

1 km terrain  
1 deg climo

Flat-File  
DB

COAMPS Model

31-3 km, 20 min  
Sigma-Z Levels

COAMPS

Data Transforms

Sigma-Z to Height  
LCC to Lat/Lon

Cloud Layers  
Visibility  
EM Ducting

Scenario  
5-D Object



# Summary

- The architecture presented is fully built and in use today supporting M&S customers
- The architecture will be extended and generalized under the INE-ARP Project
- Questions / Comments ?
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